Banks.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

t. THE BUSINESS of the above BANK will be conducted by the HONGKONG . AVD CHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on their premises in Hongkong. Business Hours on WEEK-DAYS, to to 3 ; SATURDAYS, to to t. 3.-SUMS LESS THAN ST, OF MORE THAN \$250 at one time will not be received. No Depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

in any one year. 3. DEPOSITORS in the SAVINGS BANK, having \$100, or more, at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the HONG-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.-INTEREST at the rate of 31 % per annum will be allowed to Depositors on

their daily halances. 5.—EACH DEPOSITOR will be supplied gratis with a PASS-BOOK, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their PASS-BOOKS, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January, and beginning of July.

6.—CORRESPONDENCE as to the Business of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, will be forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

-WITHDRAWALS may be made on demand but the personal attendance of th Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his PASS-BOOK, are necessary. FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHA

BANKING CORPORATION, T. JACKSON. Chief Manager.

Tonokong, 13th May, 1890. THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

Head Office.....40, Threadneedle Street West End Office......25, Cockspur Street. BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives MONEY ON DEPOSIT, Buys and Sells BILLS OF EXCHANGE ISSUES LETTERS OF CREDIT, forwards BILLS for COLLECTION, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to be had

on application. INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS: Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.

TON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balances!" E. W. RUTTER, Manager.

- HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL\$8,168,062 50 RESERVE FUND 5,482,127.00 RESERVE LIABILITY OF 8,168,062.50 PROPRIETORS

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and every description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan,

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Hongkong, 11th September, 1890.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED:

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL\$5,000,000 PAID UP CAPITAL 2,500,000. RESERVE FUND 1,250,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Hon. J. J. KESWICK, Chairman. Managing Directors. Hon. C. P. CHATER, Vice-Chairman.

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NONEY advanced on Mortgage, on Land, VI and Buildings. Properties purchased and sold. Estates Managed and all kinds of Agency and

Commission business relating to land, etc., conducted. Full particulars can be obtained at the Company's Offices, No. 5, Queen's Road Central. YA SHELTON HOOPER.

Secretary Victoria Buildings. Hangkong, 21d Hay, 1989.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

CAPE D'AGUILAR LIGHTHOUSE."

A TANTED A THIRD LIGHTHOUSE VV KEEPER, Salary Forty Dollars a month. Candidates should send in their names to the Colonial Secretary before the and proximo, giving particulars of age and previous services, together with testimonials. A knowledge of Chinese Colloquial is desirable.

Further particulars can be obtained upon application to the Harbour Master. By Command,

W. M. DEANE, Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th November, 1800.

TEMBERS are requested to send their IVI Subscriptions for the CURRENT RACIAL YEAR to the undersigned, on or before the 30th instant. Special attention is directed to No. 24 of the Club's Rules. By order of the Stewards,

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

E. W. RUTTER. Hon. Treasurer. [1651

Hongkong, 26th November, 1800. HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING, 1891. HONGKONG DERBY.

CWEEPSTAKES of \$20 each, half forfeit if declared on or before day of closing Entries, with \$100 added for 1st Pony, and \$50 for 2nd For all China Ponies bona fide Griffins at date of Entry (SATURDAY, 17th January, 1891) First Pony, 70 per cent; Second, 20 per cent; Third, 10 per cent. Weight 10st. 10lbs. Onemile-and-a-balf. (Nominations close to the Clerk of the Course at the Club on Saturday, the 27th December, 1890.

E. H. GORE-BOOTH, Clerk of the Course. Hangkang, 21st November 1800

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. COMPETITION for the FAKI CUP will take place on SATURDAY next, the at each range. Positions-standing at 200 yards, and kneeling or sitting at 300 yards. Competition will commence at 3.40 O'CLOCK P.M. Entrance Fee 30 cents. A Launch will icave the P. & O. Pier at 3 o'clock P.M. Entries to be made on or before FRIDAY next, the 28th inst. C. VIVIAN LADDS,

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 25th November, 1800.

THE INSTITUTION OF MARINE ENGINEERS OF HONGKONG.

Prisident. DAVID GILLIES, Esq., M.I.N.A.

Vice Presidents. JAMES WOOTON, Esq., R.N., Triabector of Machinery GEORGE PEEBLES, Eig., Government Marine Surveyor. ROBERT COOKE, Esq., Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co.

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E. J. Main, Esq. J. W. KEW, Esq., Treasurer, pro tem. W. H. WALKER, Esq., Secretary, pro tem.

NOTICE

MEETING of the SUBSCRIBERS to the above Institution is convened to be held at No. 16, Praya Central, on the Evening of MONDAY next, the 1st of December, at 8 o'clock, to consider the Report of the Committee entrusted with the formation of this Institution, confirm the adoption of Rules, and proceed with the election of regular officers for the ensuing

Though the business of this Meeting will be strictly confined to the consideration of the Subscribers, the Committee wish it to be known that all Engineers are particularly invited to

By order of the Organizing Committee. w. h. walker, Secretary pro tem.

Hongkong, 26th November, 1890. N.B .- Owing to other business rendering the

proposed date inconvenient the above Meeting POSTPONED to TUESDAY EVENING, the and of December, at 8 o'clock. W. H. WALKER,

Secretary pro lem. Mongkong, 27th November, 1800.

THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE is hereby given to Holders of the Shares in the above Company, bearing the Numbers specified below that unless the Call of Fifteen Dollars per Share, due on the 17th day of July, 1890, be paid together with Interest thereon at the rate of 12 % per annum from the said due date, to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on or before the 17th day of December, 1890, the said shares will be liable to be FORFEITED, and under the provision of Section X, Subsection VIII of the Articles of Association of the Company, the Board will pass the necessary resolution for the

Forfeiture of the said shares Nos. 6/8, 127/146, 227/301, 327/356, 382/391, 402/441,542/681,007/1000,1076/1103,1184/1193, 1109/1248, 1342/1366, 1527/1576, 1797/1806, 1817/1826, 1837/1846, 1985/1996, 2017/2176, 2456/2525, 2771/2800, 2816/2825, 2851/2900, 9141/3155, 3166/3190, 3276/3295, 3301/3305, 3496/3505, 3601/3615, 3856/3885.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

I. WHEELEY. Mongkong, 20th November, 1890. [1598

KUHN & CO. JAPANESE AND CHINESE FINE

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21 & 21 QUEEN'S ROAD.

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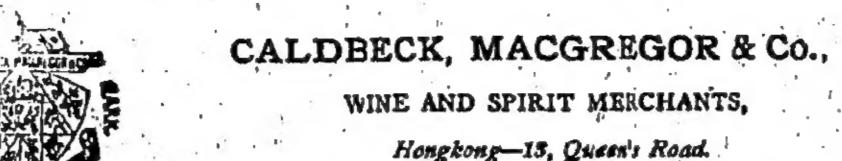
LANE, CRAWFORD & CO. CHRISTMAS, 1890!

THRISTMAS CARDS for friends at home should be posted by mail leaving here November LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s selections of CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR CARDS have now arrived and includes all the most ARTISTIC PRODUCTIONS of the year :-RAPHAEL TUCKS' and PRANG'S Prize designs, painted on Satin, Ivories and Porcelains. NEW JAPANESE PAINTED CARDS. A large variety of inexpensive CARDS.

Orders are now being taken for L. C. Co.'s CELEBRATED TEA "THE CUMSHA"

Hongkong, 4th November, 1890,

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POMMERY and GRENO, extra sec. BOLLINGER & Co., very dry extra quality. SPARKLING RED BURGUNDY. KRESSMANN'S CHOICEST CLARETS. DEINHARD & Co.'s STILL HOCKS. SPARKLING HOCKS and MOSELLES.

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Scrap Books. New stock of fine Russia Leather Goods consisting of Note Cases, Card Cases, Pocket Books,

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Hongkong, 27th November, 1890

New Chit Cases, Chit Books. New Card Games for long evenings in great Games of Reversi, Spoof, Bezique and all

ordinary Games. All the Children's Annual Volumes. Great Novelties in Bon Bons. New stock of Tennis Ratquets. New French Ladies' Dancing and Indoor

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MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, TOYS, FANCY GOODS,

Hongkong, 16th August, 1890.

No. 2, PEDDER'S STREET.

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TAILORS, HATTERS, SHIRTMAKERS, AND GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTERS.

CHRISTY'S & HEATH'S Black, Brown and Grey FELT HATS. DOUBLE and SINGLE TERAI and other SOFT FELTS. Best English-made STRAW HATS. LADIES' FELT HELMETS and CALCUTTA PITH HATS. TWEED CAPS.

Hongkong, 28th July, 1800

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> KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 27th November, 1890

BALL ROOM REQUISITES. ENTS' WHITE KID GLOVES, 2 button, \$1 per pair. best quality WHITE and LAVENDAR KID GLOVES, \$1.50 per pair. BLACK LISLE, SPUN and SILK SOCKS. WHITE DRESS SHIRTS. COLLARS, newest shapes,

WHITE CAMBIC TIES and BOWS. PERFUMERY and HABERDASHERY. W. POWELL &

PAMILY AND DISPENSING CHEMISTS. Commission Agents.

DURE SCOTCH HONEY, in 18. Bottles. in 16. Ting "ROBERT'S CANDIES." "

Hongkong, 22nd November, 1890.

A PURE and WHOLESOME SWEETMEAT. For the Christmas Season we have now a large and well selected stock of WINES and SPIRITS, including our Special Liqueur Whisky, and A. V. Co. Brandy specially bottled for us. Freight, apply to Guinness's Beer and Stout, Read Bro.'s Dog Head Brand. The A.D.C. Pilsener Beer, Liqueurs, all kinds &c. &c. Hongtong, and October, 1800.

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STEAMERS.

DOUGLAS STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & KUCHINOTZU-THE Company's Steamship

"HAIPHONG," Captain Harris, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SUNDAY, the 30th inst, at DAYLIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 27th November, 1800.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR HAVRF, LONDON, HAMBURG, AND ANTWERP.

THE Steamship "MONMOUTHSHIRE," Captain Cuming, will be despatched as above, on or about the 8th December.

For Freight or Passage, apply to . ADAMSON: BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 27th November, 1890.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL. HF. Steamship

"GLAWORGANSHIRE," Captain Davies, will be despatched as above, on or about the 13th December. For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 27th November, 1800. ... [1415

SAILING VESSELS. FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship "FANNIE TUCKER,"

Frost, Master, will load here for the above Port and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, 3rd November, 1800. FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship

"SEA WITCH," Tibbetts, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 3rd November, 1890.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILWAY COMPANIES:

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1890.

(Subject to Alteration). ABYSSINIA ... | THURSDAY ... | Dec. 4th. PARTHIA..... | THURSDAY ... | Dec. 25th.

BATAVIA | SUNDAY | Jan. 25th. THE Steamship "ABYSSINIA,"

Captain Williamson, sailing at NOON, on THURSDAY, the 4th December, will proceed to VANCOUVER, via INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA:

RATES OF PASSAGE. From Hongkong, First Class. To Vancouver and Victoria\$210.00 To Port Townsend, Seattle, Tacoma \$213.00 To Portland, Oregon:....\$220.00 To Winnipeg, Minneapolis, St. Paul.....\$260.00 To Chicago, Kansus City, Milwaukee ... \$275.00 To St. Louis, Detroit, Cincinnati\$280,00

To Hamilton, Kingston, London (Ont.), Ottawa, Toronto, Montreal, New York, Albany, Buffalo, Niagara > \$200.00 Falls, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Washington To Quebec, Boston, Portland (Maine)...\$295.00 To Liverpool\$325.00 To London, via Liverpool\$330.00

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of steamers. Special rates (first-class only) are granted to-Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to

To Havre and Hamburg\$135.00

Government officials. Return Tickets .- First and second class only. -Prepald return tickets to Pacific Coast Points, and to Eastern and Interior Points of Canada and U.S.A. will be granted, available for :-6 months at 25 per cent, off Return Fare."

" So per cent. " (Time is rackoned from the date of landing to date of re-embarkation at Vancouver.) Passengers to Pacific Coast Points and to Interior and Eastern Points of Canada and U.S.A. not holding prepaid return tickets, but who reembark within 12 months from date of landing at Vancouver: will be allowed to per cent. off the return fare. Prepaid return tickets to European points will

be issued available for 12 months at double fares (Mexican Dollars.) CARGO.—Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan. Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian"

and United States Points. Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of D. E. BROWN, Assistant General Freight and Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific. Railway Company, Vancouver, B. C. Parcels must be sent to our Office with

address marked in full by CP.M. on the day previous to salling. For further information as to Passage or ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

Benefitten zoth November, 1890.

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U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING, AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN . . FRANCISCO.

THE U.S. Mail Steamship

"CITY OF PEKING" will be desnatched for SAN FRANCISCO med YOKOHAMA on SATURDAY, the 6th Dec., at I P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for

Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States: via Overland Rallways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the

Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

First-class Fares granted as follows: To San Francisco.....\$225.00 To San. Francisco and return, avallable for 6 months..... To London 332.00 To other European Points at proportionate

rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers. of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application. Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific

and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan for vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of to per cent, from Return Fare. This allowance does not aboly to through fares from China and Japan to Rurobe. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until ,5 P.M. same day;

dress in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

all Parcel Packages should be marked to ad-

For further information, as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company. No. 50A, Queen's Road Central C. D. HARMAN, Handbone 14th November som

SHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO,

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM.

EUROPE: THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

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THE Steamship "OCEANIC" will be despatched for San Francisco, wild Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 18th December,

at I P.M. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghal and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at

the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing. First-class Fares granted as follows:-To San Francisco.....\$225.00 To San Francisco and return, available for 6 months..... To Liverpool 325.00 To London..... 332.00 To other European Points at proportionate

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Tongkong 28th November, 1800 NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK

SEA AND BALTIC PORTS: LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in

IN SUNDAY, the 21st day of December, 1890, at 11 A.M., the Company's Steamship SACHSEN," Captain K. V. Gossel, with Consular Involces of Goods for United States | MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE & CARGO. will-leave this Port as above, Calling at GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon. Cargo will be received on Board mail 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m., on 20th December, (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

For further Particulars, apply to MRECHERS & Co., Hongkong sath November, sec.

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DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, LIMITED DISPENSING CHEMISTS.

DAKIN'S EMULSION OF PURE COD LIVER OIL.

LOR Phthisis, Colds, Coughs, Scrofuls, Discases of Children, and General Debility. This Emulsion is prepared on a large scale by means of the most improved machinery and with the purest ingredients. It is guaranteed to contain 50 per cent. of the finest Norwegian Cod

It is sweet and pleasant to the palate, and easily borne by the most delicate stomach, and is equal in every respect to any similar pre-paration sold, and at about half the price.

12-02. Bottles \$ 1.00.

Per dozen\$10.00.

DAKIN'S EMULSION OF COD LIVER OIL WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES. This is the same Emulsion with the addition

of the Hypophosphites. 12-0z. Bottles 1.00. Per dozen\$10.00. (Telephone No. 60.)

Nos 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL Hongkong, 17th November, 1890,

VINES AND SPIRITS.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD. (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.) HONGKONG.

BY APPOINTMENT.

TITE invite attention to the following old VV lauded Brands, all of which are of excellent quality and good value for the money. The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best growths at moderate prices.

In ordering it is only necessary to state the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wanted, and initial letter forquality desired. Orders through Local Post or by Telegram receive prompt attention. PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.)

Alto Dours, good quality, Green Capsule\$10 Vintage, Superior quality, Red Capsule 12 C Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capsule 14 Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule (Old Botiled) 18 Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule......

Superior Pale Dry, dinner, wine, Green Seal Capsule...7.50 Manzanilla, Pale Natural. Sherry, White Capsule 10 Superior Old Dry, .. Pale Natural Sherry, Red Scal Capsule...... 10 Superior Old Pale choice old wine. White Seal Capsule...... Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsule (Old

CLARETS. Superior Breakfast Claset, Red Capsale \$4 St. Estephe Red Capsule in 4.50 St. Julien

A Hennessey's Old Pale, Red

Capsule......\$13 B Superior Very Old Cognac, -Red Capsule 14 Very Old Liqueur Cognec, 1.50 simply contend that there is not, Red Capsule 18 D Hennessey's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule 24 Thorne's Blend, White Cap-Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule with Name and Trade Mark...... Watson's Abelour-Glenliet, Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Muk.....

the Finest Scotch Mait Whiskies, Violet Capsule ... 10 E - Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold Capsule 12 IRISH WHISKY. John Jameson's Old, Green Capsule....... B John Jameson's Fine Old. Green Capsule...... 10 John Jameson's Very Fine

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Old, Green Capsule...... 13 GENUINE BOURBON WHISEY, fine old, RedCapsule, with Name. 10 A Fine OldTom, White Capsule.4.50 B Fine Unsweetened. White Capsule4.50

Fine A. V. H. Geneva 5.25 Finest 'Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule 12 Good Leeward Island...\$1.50 per Gallon.

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REMINDED THAT ALL SUBSCRIPTION MUNO BE MID IN ADVANCE.

The Honghong Lelegnuph

verdicts contrary to a judge's direction and against the weight of evidence. Toalways err on the side of leniency is recognised as one of the first and grandest principles. FONGEONG, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1890. of English justice; to where there is the alightest doubt of a man's guilt A WELL known resident of the colony invariably obtains the benefit of that has sent us some pungent criticisms on Sir doubt, and that is as it should be. Before JAMES RUSSELL'S sentence in the recent now men have been hung for alleged conspiracy case. These are assuredly crimes and their innocence only discovered well intended, and we are bound to admit after it was too late, and in like manner that there is a good deal of truth in our there are plenty of cases on recordat home correspondent's arguments and deductions; of the conviction and punishment of innocent. but we are forced to consider under all people for alleged offences of various circumstances, and especially in view of kinds; but in recent years these the unfortunate fact that the responsible miscarriages of justice have, in England Editor of this journal is at present an at least, almost totally disappeared. Juries inmate of Victoria Gaol, that the publicawill not convict on a criminal charge tion of "Observer's" strongly-worded without absolutely clear and convincing letter would be highly indiscreet and could evidence, and in trials where erroneous hardly be justified. It ought not to be lost and unsupported, or even doubtful verdictssight of that judges, like men in all other are returned, English judges do nothesitate branches of life, hold very diversified to exercise their right to see strict justice opinions on the same matters, and done, Imprisonment until the rising of each one will quote chapter and the court, or a nominal fine where permissible, is the customary way the. verse in support of his respective theory. difficulty, is solved, and giving Sir JAMES There is not the slightest reason in the RUSSELL full credit for a high-souled belief world to doubt the thorough conscientiousin the painful duty which he twice stated he ness of the Chief Justice's sentence last performed with such extreme regret, we Wednesday; its unexpected severity need take the liberty of thinking that this is the not necessarily mean any opinion of his course he ought to have pursued last lordship's on the merits of the case, but Thursday week. The onus of proof lay on must be taken simply as what he considered the prosecution; they had to prove beyond his duty in the face of the majority of the any manner of doubt criminal conspiracy, jury's verdict. It is the obligation of the and they proved absolutely nothing of a jury to find a verdict, and the judge, criminal character, as no one knows generally speaking, is supposed to pass better than the Chief Justice. It is possible sentence in accordance with that finding, to be too much a slave to preconceived As we have said, different judges hold notions of what constitutes one's public different opinions as to their duties in such a case—quot homines sententia-, and it can only be put down as unfortunate for the defendants in this instance that Russell, C. J., THE LOSS OF H.M.S. " SERPENT." holds the view that he is bound, notwithstanding any personal conclusions he From particulars received regarding the loss may have arrived at, to give full effect to of the Serpent, it appears that she was driven the decision of the jury, in whose hands out of her course in a storm and foundered on the question of "guilty" or "not guilty" rocks, on the night of the roth inst., twenty miles entirely rests. This definition of a judge's to the north of Finisterre, close to the village of duty may be and probably is now, so far Araminas. Only three of the ship's company are known to have been saved by swimming as blindly giving it effect goes, practically obsolete in England, but there was a time when it was almost universally acted There were only one bundred and seventy-six up to, and there are doubtless even in all told on board the Serpent when she was lost, these advanced times other ornaments to and there was no time to lower any boats as she the Bench besides Sir JAMES RUSSELL who, sank instantly after striking. The three survivors in passing sentence, sink all personal conwere badly injured by rocks when swimming 1.25 victions as to the righteousness or otherwise of the verdict, leaving any errors in The Times publishes an affidavit offer. Farran, 1.50 that direction, or any special claim for Dragoman of Major Bartielot, recounting clemency, to be decided by the Executive. It may, we venture to think, be reasonably assumed from his lordship's summing up 0.75 and directions to the jury at this recent sensational trial, that he believed no case. had been established and expected a verdict in favor of the defendants; and on this probably accurate assumption, the only possible conclusion that can be arrived

at as regards the sentence is, as we have

already indicated, that it was regarded as

no part of the judge's duty to give the

least consideration to any doubt or

uncertainty as to actual innocence or guilt

as opposed to the opinion of the majority

of the jury; but merely to use his own

discretion in the matter of punishment,

leaving any wrongs that may have

been inflicted in the ordinary procedure

connected with the administration of justice

to be rectified by the Government. We

do not mean to say that we agree

judge's duty to the commonwealth, but

the particular case under review, the

slightest reason for believing that the

Chief Justice did not act in accordance

with precedents, and fairly and impartially

according to his lights. That the sentence,

on the unsatisfactory and unreliable

character of the evidence, was an exces-

sively and altogether unnecessarily severe

one is true enough, but the answer to that

is that the judge has nothing to do with

the character of the evidence after the

verdict has been entered—he has merely to

consult the Statute-book and pass sentence.

In England nowadays the unfortunate

issue of this presecution could not have

happened. A conviction on the evidence

produced would have been impossible; but

even had it been possible, the result, so

would have been vastly different. The

tendency of English judges in criminal trials

justice first, and the strict letter of the

law when at direct variance with justice,

afterwards. Had the defendants in this

local Conspiracy case been tried before

Lord Chief Justice Coleridge, Sir HENRY

English judges, and convicted under similar

circumstances to those which supported the

majority of the jury's verdict the other even-

ing-does, anyone in his sober senses

believe that such a sentence as six months

imprisonment with hard labour would

with this hard-and-fast conception of

minutely the story of a girl being killed and caten in the presence of Mr. Jamieson. ANOTHER REGENT. November 21st. Her Majesty the Queen of the Netherlands has been duly sworn as Regent, before Parliament. The ceremony on the occasion was most impres-

TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, November 13th.

November 14th.

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THE MONEY PANIC. LONDON, November 18th. All New York stocks continue excited sympathy with the London maket. The Standard says that the crisis was hastened in consequence of the Russian Government suddenly withdrawing five million from Messrs, Baring Brothers & Co, -

(From Singapore Papert)

THE O'SHEA DIVORCE CASE. Captain O'Shea has been auccessful in his suit for a divorce.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

H.M.S. Porpoise (Commander R. W. White) arrived here yesterday afternoon from Singapore.

THE Superintendent of the P. &O. S. N. Co. informs us that the Company's steamer Shanghas left Singapore for this port at 10.30am. yesterday.

WE are requested to remind cricketers that the

pick up" match commences at II s.m. tolist should be on the ground sharp it that hour. IT is rumoured that His Excellency the Officer

Administering the Government of Hongkong, the Hoo. F. Fleming, will go on leave soon after Sir William des Vœux returns to " our Island home in January neit. Severa Government Officials are, is is said, entitled to ask for leave in the Spring of '91.

IT is becoming rather expensive for the crowd of boarding house " runners "who lost on scrambling on board steamers arriving in the Harbour without permission. Afew days are three of these pests were brought before. Mr. Wise and fined \$5 each, and to-day Mr. Wodehouse infleted a far as the defendants were concerned, like penalty on a couple more.

ABOUT 9 o'clock last night Segeant Phelps discovered a Chinaman in Bonham Strand strutfor years past has been to place human Mr. Wodehouse this morning, was fined \$100 or was confiscated.

On Friday last says a Penang contemporary, as HAWKING or any other of the well known the steamer Wing Sang was on her way from Singapore to Penang, an emigrant Chinese coolle on board cut his head several times with an axe. 'He was immediately secured and handed over to the police on the arrival of the steamer next morning. The man is now in hospital. It is stated that his object in thus bouring himself had paid for his passage. Therewas no neceshas no remedy for the less of blisdvance except | importance on the part of the Indian Singapore sinister results, no modus vivends had mean. He had a big horse platel, which he fired among invariably been done when, as occasionally has been the case, juries have returned by summons and process of late

nined the Board of the New Oriental Bank Corporation, London, vice Mr. A. J. MucDonald, resigned; and Mr. James L. Ogilvy, who may be remembered as an officer of the old O. B. C. here many years ago, has joined the New O. B. C. as Manager at Melbourne.

THE Comercio points out that of late cigar makers at Manila have done a good deal towards meeting the wants of customers. Those who lay themselves out for this purpose do not slacken their efforts to secure an outturn of superior quality. One company has brought improved machinery into use which turns out elgars in such numbers that it is hard to count

HIS Imperial Japanese Majesty's Consul courteously informs as that the Japanese consulate at Canton will be temporarily withdrawn from the 1st preximo, and that he has received instructions from his Government to watch over the interests of his subjects in Canton, Swatow and Klungchow which have hitherto constituted the duties of the Japanese consul stationed at the "City of Rams."

THE Singapore Free Press says that Messrs. Messrs. Mansfield was Mr. J. D. Vaughan, of (Secretary). Singapore. A verdict was given for \$5,500

A STEAMER called the San Pedro is now on her way to Manila from England for fishing purposes, under the control of a number of capitalists at that port, who intend to embark in that 'line of business. Fish abound in the sea there, but consumers get little and pay dear for it, and that being so, the speculators may count upon public support. The San Pedro is fitted with every requisite to carry on fishing operations including large tank to keep fish "all alive."

During the past few days one of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao S. B. Co.'s Canton liners has been using coal brought from the Tonquin Coal Mining Co.'s mines in Tonquin, with very satisfactory results. About 250 tons of the Tonquin coal will be, experimented upon prior to a detailed report being drawn up by the engineer intrusted with the, tests but we are able to state, through the courtesy of the secretary of the Company, that there is every prospect of the Tonquin coal turning out as good if not better than the far-famed Cardiff. In the course of a very few months the Tonquin company will, it is said be able to commence regular shipments of coal to to Hongkong and other parts of the world, in which case it is probable that the demand for Japanese article will decrease considerably.

I DID it. I wounded him with a meat chopper. It is utterly useless for you to call witnesses and go through a trial, I : freely admit that I did it and willing to be punished in return for it." Thus said a vicious heathen to Mr. Wodehouse at the Police Court this morning, in answer to the charge of "braining" in fellow countryman in. Lascar Row about 5 o'clock last night. The victim was promptly taken to the Civil Hospital where he expired shortly after being admitted, the wound on his head being a deep gash which opened the skull and left the brain exposed. The unfortunate man was beyond hope from the moment he received the wound. The name of the gentleman who committed the murder, in a fit of jealousy it is said, is Tsang Li, and he will remain in Gaol until Tuesday, the and proximo, when it will be necessary for him to make his final appearance before a magistrate "here below."

We learn from the Singapore Free Press that at a meeting of the Singapore Parliamentary Debating Society held in the Freemasons' Hall last Tuesday the following subjects were discussed :- I. That in the opinion of this House, Editors of newspapers should be compelled to publish replies from persons whom they have attacked or misrepresented, and to give as much space and prominence to the reply as to the attack. 2. The new Chinese Labour Bill. Our Singapore friends may have a grievance touching "misrepresentations," but from our slender knowledge of the modus operandi of public journals we judge that the "House" has simply wasted its time in discussing the advisability of compelling the Editors of newspapers to do that which is systematically practised by those who conduct respectable journals in all parts of the world. However, we shall doubtless receive full reports of the debate in due course, and can then fairly determine the degree of justification which our neighbours had in adopting such a subject for the earnest consideration of the "House" when in solemn conclave assembled.

THUS an Indian exchange :- The Czarewitch and his brother, who are expected to reach Bombay about the 23rd December, will have five officers in their suite. Prince Boriatinsky, General Adjutant in the personal suite of the Emperor, acts as their tutor and guardian : and besides him there are Lieutenan' Prince Abolensky, of the Horse Guards, Aide-de-Camp to the morrow. Those whose names andows on the | Czar; Prince Volskoff, of the Hussars of the Guard; Prince Kotchubey, a scion of a house much in favour at the Court; and a member of Staff of the Russian Foreign Office, who has yet to be appointed. The latter presumably will have charge of any questions of form and ceremonial that may arise in the course of the tour. After a trip through Rajputana and Upper India the party will arrive in Calcutta about the middle of January. Hunting and shooting, it is said, are especially interdicted for the two young Princes, who had been very strictly brought up by their parents. "They are really very nice boys and I shall be surprised if they are not popular in India " writes a correspondent from St. Petersburg,

THE India Merchants Steam Navigation Co., Limited, having purchased the Tannadice from the Eastern and Australian S. S. Co., for the trade between the Straits and the Coromandel ting along with 125 tacks weight of splum under | Coast, the native Indian traders of Singapore his arm. He was promptly excerted to the have united to present the vessel with an "ho-Police Station and, admitting the charge before | norary f.g." and colours. The presentation flag is white, with a red border, the India Merchants in default 3 months imprisonment. The opium | Co., colours (crescent, star, and "I.M.S.N.C.L." between its points) and an inscription, "Prosented by the Indian merchants, of Singapore." The purchasing company has not been long in existence, being started in Karical and registered in Penang. It has agencies at all the leading Coromandel Coast ports, The shareholders are almost all the leading native traders in those towns. This is claimed to be the first instance of an ocean-going steamer being owned by a native company. It is prowas to swold his obligation to the recruiter, who posed, if the undertaking is fairly successful, to acquire two more at earners. This new departure sity for resorting to this noved expedient, as by should greatly facilitate the Indian coolie traffic would be totally unsupported by what has porg, any coolie on arrival in pot can leave the (toth.) afternoon the presentation was fixed for regarding Nyassaland. Although his lordship heels, and you may be sure we did so too, but a recruiter if he chooses to do so, and the latter three o'clock, and a demonstration of considerable was of opinion that there was no danger of rebel on a white pony shot out from his men. community is anticipated. Fest Pritti

SIR WILLIAM MARSH, K.C.B., (late 'Colonial Two so-called Jews asswering to the names of Secretary and Acting Governor of Hongkong) has . Vahya and Israel were brought before the Magistrate at Singapor on the voth inst. and sentenced to three months imprisonment with hard labour for burying a goat in the Jewish Cemetery with intent to offend the Jewish community.

> THE Prefect of Wuchow has addressed another memorial to the Viceroy says the Kwang Pao. urging the reduction of the taxes on cotten yarn. between Canton and Wuchow, in which he drops the arguments used in his former memorial that the trade is being kil'ed by them, admitting that yarn is pouring into the place under transit pass. But he says this throws the trade into foreign hands and prevents the local merchants competing, as yarn which has to pay import duties, lekin, and battery tax, naturally cannot he sold as cherply as yarn that has paid import duty and half duties only. He prove therefore, as before, that the dues, &c., may be reduced one-half, which will knock the foreigners and their transit pass business out of the field.

MEETING OF THE SANITARY BOARD.

A meeting of the Sanitary Board was held Mansfield and Co. received a wire from Bangkrk | this afternoon. There were present Mr. S. Brown, on the 19 h inst., to say that they have won in Surveyor-General, (President); . Major-General the matter of the collision case-steamship Gordon (Vice-Present); Dr. Avres, Colonial Hydra v. steamship Hainam. The case was Surgeon; Hon. N. G. Mitchell-Innes, Acting cord in the British Consular Court before Registrar-General; Dr. Cantlie, Mesers. Wong Captain Jones, and the counsel employed by Shing, N. J. Ede and Hugh McCallum

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

THE CONDITION OF CEMETERIES. A report on the Cemeteries of Hongkong b Mr. Hugh MacCallum, Sanitary Superintendent, was laid on the table. It describes the condition of the Colonial. Roman Catholic. Mussulman, Parsee, Hindoo, Jewish, Chinese (Christian Tung-wah Hospital and seven Chinese burial grounds. The latter only, as might he supposed, are in an objectionable condition and the remarks of the Superintendent upon th subject are as follows:--

PUBLIC CHINESE CEMETERIES. . "Seven. Chinese cometeries were inspected and they all have a hare, untidy appearance, the only observable difference between them is in the degree of untidiness. The worst of them is, I think, at Mount Davis and the best is at Mount Caroline. There are a few graves well laid out in all of these cemeteries, and in some of them elaborate and large surface coverings have been constructed. There is one grave at Mount Caroline covering 2.300, square feet of

Section 26 of the Health Ordinance requires that each grave should be dug to such a depth as to have six feet of earth or the top of the coffin. So far as I have been able to arcertain this is never done, and in some cases recent graves I have good reasons for believing that less than 3 feet of earth, in depth, was all the covering the coffin had. There is no system of arranging the grants in regular rows or even of having two graves running parallel with each other. Many of the graves have small head-stones, but I very much doubt if after 3 years it will be possible for any one to say with accuracy the grave in which any particular body is buried.

THE COST OF SCAVENGING. A letter from the Acting Colonial Secretary was read stating that His Excellency the Acting Governor had sanctioned a vote of \$29,000 for scavenging the city in the year 1891.

THE OVERCROWDING QUESTION. A despatch from Government was laid on the table stating that it was definitely decided to give the Board full powers to deal with the evils arising from the overcrowding of tenements.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

MADRAS, November 8th, Lord Connemars has expressed to the Secretary of State his wish to be relieved of his office. Lard Cross has informed the Governor that Her Malesty has been graciously pleased to accept his resignation. It is probable, therefore, that Lord Connemara will leave India next March. The Madras Mail says the news will be received with universal feelings of regret, for Lord Connemara has been not only the : most popular, but most fortunate governor that the presidency of Madras can remember to have had for many a year. No hint of the cause for the resignation is given by the Mail, and it believes the resignation has been arranged for party purposes. Lord Connemara received a telegram few days ago which appeared to trouble him a great deal, but the subject of the telegram is not known. Lord Connemara, though in his sixty-fourth year, carries, his age well, and isvery active.

NEW YORK, November 9th. The American Committee appointed to raise funds for the famine in Ireland has withdrawn its appeal for funds, Mesers. Dillon and O'Brien urging that it would interfere with Irish politics. BERLIN, November oth.

Eminent surgeons here are testing Doctor Koch's treatment for tubercular disease, and the success so far is reported to be remarkable. LONDON. November Toth!

Colonel Euan-Smith has been appointed a Commander of the Bath.

The Times publishes a letter from Mr. Bonny which confirms every particular of the charges brought by Mr. Stanley against Major Barttelot and Mr. Jamieson and adds other charges of appalling atrocity. The writer believes that the only excuse for Major Barttelot was his insanity. Miss Riordan, who has been under examinationat Oxford before the magistrate, has admitted. firing at Dr. Bright of Oxford, but says she had no intention of lojuring him. She has committed for trial.

The Czarewitch reacked Athens on Wednesday, and will stay there a fortnight.

November 11th. Speaking last night at the hanquet at the Guildhall, given by the Lord Mayor in honour of Her Majesty's Ministers, the Right Hon. Edward Stanhope, Secretary of State for War, said that all the Regular Army at home, in India and in the British Colonies would be, armed with; the Magazine Rifle next year. The statements which had been made to the effect that the weapon had been withdrawn, were, he said devoid of foundation.

In his speech delivered on the same occasion; the Marquis of Salisbury said that all the omens at present observable on the political horizon of Europe were pesceful. The visit of the Crare, witch to India, as the guest of the Queen-Empress, was, his lordship said, pregnant with benefit both for Russia and Great Britain, and was a pledge between the two nations,

Referring to the negotiations at present going on between Britain and Italy, respecting the occupation of Kassala by the Italians, his lordship said that he felt confident that they would end successfully. Not so, however, in the case of the negotiations with Portugal while been eenekded

is In view of the universal arming for conflict on the question of tariffs, his lordship said it was important to consider whether the madness of our neighbours may not deflect Great Britain from her Free Trade policy.

In conclusion, the Marquis condemned the Eight Hours' movement, which, he said, would fatally interfere with freedom of contract between masters and workmen.

ALLAHABAD, November 11th. A special telegram to the Pioneer dated London, 10th November, says that a Paris syndicate having engaged to provide the Bank of Spain with four millions sterling in gold, which they are unable to obtain in France the Directors of the Bank of England have raised the bank rate to six per cent, in order to protect their reserve. Consequent on the general and utter collapse of the American and English money markets, India and Bank stocks, Rupee Paper, and American Rails have tumbled together. The latter have now reached the lowest point touched since the panic of 1885. Silver has dropped a penny after a steady decline all through the week, the immediate prospects are bad, and exchange is likely to hover round one and sixpence till the close of the year.

The Democratic success in america is largely due to the discontent of the Farmers' Alliance with the provisions of the recent Silver Bill, and it is safe to anticipate that a Free Coinage Act will be passed, either by the present House next session, or by the new House of 1792.

BERLIN, November 12th. Doctor von Gossler, Minister of Instruction and Worship, has placed the sum of ten thousand pounds sterling at the disposal of Doctor Koch, as a contribution to be used towards the cost of the erection of a hospital for the treatment of patients suffering from tubercular diseases, a cure for which he has just discovered.

LONDON, November 12th Castioni, the leader of the rising at Ticino, who fled to England has been released from custody, the Queen's Bench refusing to extradite him as a political offender though he admitted the charge of shooting brought against him.

Great depression has taken place in prices at New York where a panic has taken place for the last two days on the stock market. The London market in sympathy has been affected, but has now improved owing to the expected payment into the Bank of England of two millions of gold.

It is admitted by the Railway Company that the accident at Taunton yesterday, was owing to a mistake made by the signalman, who has since been arrested. Those killed and injured in the accident which occurred at midnight were mostly emigrants returning from the Cape. After the collision the first carriage of the train caught fire, and six of the imprisoned passengers were burnt to death. The cries of the unfortunate people are described as having been terrible.

The committee of Orientalists has fixed on London during next September as the place of meeting for the International Oriental Con-Doctor Leitner has been appointed Secretary for organising the meeting.

WASHINGTON, November 12th. The Treasury to-day purchased seven hundred and thirty seven ounces of silver at prices ranging from 103.2 to 103 95.

LONDON, November 13th. The Lord Mayor has convened a meeting to discuss the oppression of the Jews in Russia, in response to a request signed by peers, prelates, members of the House of Commons, and leaders of all circles.

A portion of the married quarters of the Wellington barracks were burnt out yesterday, and three children and one fireman were badly

Most exciting scenes took place at the fire at, Wellington barracks yesterday. Many women and children were rescued by ladders. The total

number of injured is twenty-five. The Times is publishing a series of articles againt the Magazine Rifle in which it maintains that, notwithstanding official statements to the contrary the mechanism of the weapon constantly. collapses at mere musketry practice.

November 14th. An article by Doctor Koch has appeared which shows that his treatment is completely successful in cases of lupus tubercular diseases of the glands, bones and joints. In it he also expresses his belief that incipient phthisis is certainly curable by his treatment but, he says, it is premature to state whether the cure is final. The lymph used is obtainable from doctor Tibbertz

> REMINISCENCES OF OLD SHANGHAI.

An old Shanghai resident tells the following yarn :- I came to Shanghai in 1867 in a sailing ship, and had a hard time of it coming out. The captain wanted to discharge us, and as we had been so badly treated, most of the crew were only too glad to get away. "But," said the captain, "I shan't give you any wages." That altered the question somewhat, and a gentleman, who had overheard the captain's remark, said we were fools if we allowed ourselves to be cheated like that. He promised to be at the Consulate when we were to be discharged, and told us that if the captain: would not pay us, to go to him and he would see that we got our rights, However, the captain paid us, but a young sailor called Charlie and myself stayed in the ship, and we made a voyage to Nagasaki in her, coming back with a cargo of tea box planks. After we had arrived here, my chum Charlie said to me, "Frank, there are good times in Shanghai, what say if we run away ?" I was willing, and so we made it up to leave that night. We packed up our things and got ready. The man who was to keep the anchor watch was an old man, so we trusted to his going to sleep or not seeing us, so that we could get away unobserved. When we found the old man had gone below, we called a sampan man-and bargained with him for \$5 to take us on shore from the ship, which was lying in the stream off the old Sailors' Home. Charlie took his coat off, and hung it up on the bow of the long-boat, and then we lowered our boxes and bags into the sampan. We then slid down the cable into the boat, but we had not got far from the ship bef re the watchman discovered our escape, so he called the mate, but they did not succeed in catching us. The sampan man took us up the Soochow creek and landed us near where the lower boathouse is now. After we had got our things out of the boat, Charlie startled me by saying, "Good gracious, Frank. I've left mx coat on the long-boat, and it contains \$10, all the money we have!" So I said. "Never mind, I'll go back and fetch it." I went back, climbed up the chain, got the coat and money, and went ashore again. Then we paid the sampan man, but he wanted \$10, and when we refused to pay him, he raised the hue and cry, which brought a policeman, a runaway sailor) imself, Finally we gave the sampan man \$6, and took our things to a boarding-house kept by a Portuguese called " Joc." Next day we saw some French soldiers (a

foraging party apparently) marching towards Hongkew, so we followed them to see what was going on. They captured some fowls and then set fire to the huts, but while they, were doing so the rebels swooped down upon them, so the soldiers dropped their plunder and took to their

wearing a pair of new top boots at the time; but as they impeded my progress I got my knife out and ripped them up, and then ran barefooted

back to the Settlement, and so escaped. While Charlie and I were in the Portuguese boarding-house, the next night a well-dressed Chinaman came up to me, and something like the following conversation ensued: "You have" got pidgin?" "No." said I. shaking my coat. "I haven't got your pigeon." "You wanchee pidgin?" No;" said I "what do I want with pigeons?" Finally Joe, who had heard the conversation, said, "He wants to know if you want a pidgin," "No," said I again; "what do I want with pigeons?" "Oh," said Joe, "he wants to know if you want a job." I told him I did, so the Chinaman offered me \$75 a month to go along with him. "Cash down," said I, and the Chinaman paid me the money. I settled with Joe, who charged me \$20 for the time my chum and I had been in the house, and I went with the Chinaman, who took me to a boat on the Soo- wrong. It is true "In Darkest Africa" contains chow creek, but when I got on board I did not half like it. There was no light in the cabin, and William Bonny, but they are not complete. I did not know what the Chinaman was going to do with me. However, I went to sleep, and mentioned to you, I mare extensive revisions, when I woke up next morning, we were at Woosung. The Chinaman pointed to a large in these portions, revised or suppressed, that the papico and said, "You belong Cap'n that ship." | whole mystery of Yambuya Camp is unravelled. We went on board and he handed me a long I have often wondered whether a thoughtful spy glass, a double-barrelled gun, some, powder person, in regarding these reports—and, indeed, and caps, and asked me what kind of flag I was the same may be said of my whole chapter going to fly, at the same time handing me \$2. entitled The Sad Story of the Rear Column'-I went on shore at Woosung and bought some has not been struck by the fact that there was coloured materials and made an American flag, much to be read between the lines, and that the which I hoisted to the top of the mast. We most interesting part of the same 'Sad Story' is then sailed for Ningpo, and at Chinhai we saw | that which I have left untold. At any rate such the rebels in great force. I had to go on deck is the case. When I came to this most trying. and strut about with the spy-glass under my arm | portion, of my book 'I found', myself in a so that the rebels could see me, and think the dilemma. If I related the facts as they had boat belonged to a foreigner, and would let us transpired I should blacken the mimiry of pass. I went ashore at Chinhal, and saw dead | mistaken, but vallant officer, and bring disgrace bodies, many of them headless, lying about as upon an honoured name; if, on the other hand, thick as flies round a sugar barrel. I had I made but scant reference to the history of the nothing to do but show myself. This lasted for | 'Rear Column,' the public would cry out that three months, after which the owner having no | was passing lightly over some thrilling episodes further use for my services, discharged me, and of the expedition. So, as the only way out of again put his boat under the Chinese flag .- the difficulty, I told as much as I dared, praised N. C. Daily News.

THE MODERN BUCCANEER.

A representative of the New York Herald has been interviewing H. M. Stanley, and this is the fashion in which he unbosoms himself :-"Whatdoes the book say?" began Mr. Stauley, characteristically assuming the rôle of interviewer. "I have not yet had time to read it."

"It contains the most serious charges against. yourself, the accusation including malignity, ingratitude, desertion, and misrepresentation. The author further holds you morally responsible for all those disasters which befel the rearguard of the Emin Pasha Relief Expedition."

And what is the purpose of this book?" inquired Mr. Stanley, a curious look coming into

"Why, to clear Major Barttelot's memory," replied, "and do justice to a man who in you have, according to the brother, grievously maligned in

"H'm!" Mr. Stanley vouchsafed in reply, as he pulled at his white moustache, and said : "So they think I have maligned Major Barttelot, and would like to clear his memory-would like justice done him" (with a queer emphasis on the word justice).

"I HAVE NOT ONE WORD TO RETRACT." Presently he arose, and lighting a cigar, settled back in his big chair and talked, his words coming deliberately, as if the value of each were duly weighed before utterance, his voice low, and his manner characterized by an when I have read their books, I shall make up indescribable earnestness. It was plain that the man seared assaults of the pen as little as those to which he had grown accustomed in forest and desert.

Darkest Africa' about Major Barttelot," said the saying that Major Barttelot had been killedexplorer, "I have not one word to retract. What | not murdered, I said then, I say now, and what I say is the I truth. Yes, but it is only a part of the truth. speak freely at present," was the reply. "This The rest I have withheld out of regard for much, however, I will say, If the man who shot the family (particularly the venerable father) Major Barttelot were put on trial for murder in of the dead man, whose brother is now England, under English law and before an English attacking me, and who may rouse me to jury, I give you my positive assurance that there declare to the world that which I know, but of | are not twelve fair-minded men-in this country which he has, I am sure, no conception. "Yes," who would find him guilty: Let me call your continued Stanley, with that same queer look in attention to a paragraph in Mr. Bonny's report, his eyes, "there is an atmosphere of mystery | where he makes reference to the Majors death. prevading what transpired in the Yambuya Mr. Bonny writes: 'The Major then pushed Camp, and up to the moment of Barttelot's death, | saide some Manyuema, and passed through them which I should have wished to leave unpene- towards the woman who was beating the drem trated. I know the real facts, and I know them | and singing, and ordered her to desist. Just then to be black. I know why Major Barttelot lay a shot was fired through a loophole in an opposite idle at Yambuya for eleven months instead of but from within by Sango, the woman's husband. carrying out my instructions and advancing. The charge penetrated just below the region of however slowly. I know why Ward and Jamie- the heart, and passed out behind, lodging finally son and Troup and Bonny, who in their hearts is a part of the verandah, under which the Major realised that their leader's course was ill-advised | fell dead,"" -not to use a strong word-I know, I say, why these gentlemen did not insist, as they might very properly have done, that the purpose and spirit of the expedition be carried out on their part with loyalty to me and credit to themselves. | original manuscript has been decidedly altered I know that if such was not the case the fault was not their, except indirectly. I know why Major Barttelot was killed-killed, Isay, not murdered."

"REASONS WHY I SHOULD HOLD MY PEACE." "I know why all my personal effects were sent away, so that on returning I found myself reduced to nakedness. I know, is short, all the terrible details of what happened between the day when we marched forward, leaving rearguard in splendid condition and burning to follow on, and that other day when marching backward we came upon the Banalya Camp, hideous with death and disease. All that know; but, out of pity for the dead, and respect for the living, it has thus far seemed right to me that I should hold my peace, and not, to use the language of the indignant but most ill-advised brother, 'do justice to Major Barttelot."

"But surely, Mr. Stanley," I ventured, "these painful facts must ultimately come out, for take it you are not the only rerson in possession of them. Mr. Bonny, for instance, must know the whole truth, does he not'?'-" Certainly he does," was Mr. Stanley's quiet answer; "and Ward and Troup as well."

THE REAL TRUTH WILL BE KNOWN IN THE END.

"But will not those gentlemen of their own accord make known the facts as they are, particularly since by their silence they would seem accessory to the dreadful consequences ?" "The real truth," said Mr. Stanley. "will, 1

suppose, in the end be known, for truth is hard to conceal; whether it will come out by the voluntary statements of the gentlemen you mentioned or whether in the newspaper press or in a court of law I am unable to predict. This much, however, I can say, that it never would have come out by any indiscretion on my part; nor would I now contemplate its publication but for the wanton attack upon me made by the very man who, did he but know it, has the best possible motives for restraining the ardour of his tongue and pen."

CONFIRMATION STRONG AS PROOF OF HOLY

This and what had gone before, although delivered in such a quiet manner, was certainly strong language, and I ventured to ask Mr. Stanley if he had material proofs calculated to bear our his mest grave insinuations.

"Proofs?" was his reply. "I have among my papers a pile of docum nts, calculated, is made public, to-" Here Mr. Stanley checked himself as if realizing that he was about to say too much; and looking at me sharply over his gold-rimmed spectacles, merely added, "Yes, I have quite sufficient proofs of all I have

"May I ask what is the nature of these proofs ?" was asked. Mr. Stanley thought a moment, and then answered: "The wil ten reports made by Messrs. Bonny and Ward are alone quite suffi-

cient. Those reports are now in my possession." "But surely the reports you speak of were published in your book?" Mr. Stanley smiled.

KINDLY REVISIONS AND SORROWFUL

"You are right," said he, "and yet you are reports written by Mr. Herbert Ward and Mr. reports. For the same reasons which I have and suppressed certain portions and it is precisely as much as I dared, and trusted that he meddling hand would insist on tearing away the veil which I, moved only by a kindly sorrow, had cast over this chapter of ugly events."

"One question more, Mr. Stanley, regarding these reports. Suppose you had never returned. What would Meisrs. Ward, Troup, and Bonny have done with the reports now in your pos-

"Why, they would have sent them to the committee."

"In that case the committee would to-day know all that you know? "Certainly, but they would not have made it

"Yes, but how do you account for the fact that these gentlemen, who, I judge, are today unwill- | track in the manner which had been agreed ing to speak, would, in the event of death, have betrayed themselves or at least their leader, to the committee ?"

"that the gentlemen who were with Major Barttelot are unwilling to tell the truth. Mr. had happened to myself in 1879, when I found Troup, I know, is publishing a book within a my elf. at the mouth of the Congo with few days, and I shall be greatly surprised if he instructions to advance to Stanley Pool. I does not let in a new light on the sad events of which he was a witness."

"May I ask, sir, whether you have now, in view of the attacks made upon you in Mr. Barttelot's book, decided to abandon your purpose of suppressing portions of these reports which might be compromising?"

"That is a question that I must have time to consider. In the first place, I shall wait until all these gentlemen have finished anything they may propose writing about the expedition., Then my mind as to my duty."

WHY KILLING WAS NO MURDER. Leaving this part of the discussion, I asked

"That is another point upon which I will not

WHAT REALLY HAPPENED.

"Now," said Mr. Stanley, "bear in mind that where I have printed pushed aside some Manyuema' and 'ordered her to desist' the Appeal to your imagination, and try to supply what really happened. Remember that Sanga was not a slave, but a great warrior, and the chief of his tribe. Think what you would do yourself if you saw your wife in a similar position, There ! With the clue I have given you now I don't believe you can go very far astray."

"But, Mr. Stanley," I asked, "according to all one is forced to gather from your remarks, Major Barttelot must have been a man thoroughly unfit for the responsible position which he held. Why did you, a keen judge of character, select an unworthy man to fill a post so important to the success of your enterprise?

"A THOROUGHLY IMPRACTICABLE MAN." Mr. Stanley reflected again before making a

"Your question is well put," and I must admit that I knew from the start that Major Baritelot was a thoroughly impracticable man. His brother officers in England knew this also, but were careful to keep that knowledge from me, and Barttelot came to me most warmly recommended. When I left him in charge of the Yambuya Camp I told him plainly that it was only in view of his rank in the English army that I gave him | FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF CALL the highest position, instead of according it, as I should otherwise have done, to one of his more experienced officers. I took great care, however, to impress upon Major Barttelot the importance of consulting these officers whenever an emergency should arrive. This he did not do; nor did the officers insist, as they might and should have done, upon having their opinions listened to. Instead of working with heart and soul and all together to support me and further the success of the expedition; it would seem as if Major Barttelot set out deliberately, from the day of my departure, to carry out some independent plan of his own. I know what that plan was, and the officers who were with him knew also, and thereby hangs a tale which I am not yet prepared to tell. An intelligent person, however, cannot fail, in view of

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what I have said, to get a new and deeper insight

"All this certainly seems very strange," I

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Hongkong, 11th August, 1800.

"Strange," echoed Mr. Stanley, with his unreadable smile, "It is strange to you and to the public-but not to me. And, perhaps, if you and the public put on your thinking caps and think hard, you will be able to get some faint glimmering of the truth."

"What reply do you make, Mr. Stanley, to Battelot's assertion that it was a material impossibility for the rear column to advance in your

"Why a material impossibity?" I know that Tippoo Tib's men failed to appear; but that was "I am not so sure," was Mr. Stanley's reply, a possibilty which I had taken into consideration in the instructions left behind. A similar thing. had difficulties to surmount quite as great as any which faced Major Barttelot and had far less facilities for surmounting them. But I shut my teeth and went ahead doggedly day after day, and in fourteen months the task, great as it was, had been accomplished. I calculate that had Major Barttelot shown the

same resolution, and started promptly on his pilgrimage that 17th day of August, 1887, when his forces were flushed with the desire to push on to glory, I should have found them on my return between 200 and 300 miles distant from their point of departure. That, I am sure, would have been a triumph worth achieving. Instead of that, what does he do? H wastes eleven months in vain negotiations with "In regard to what I have written in In Mr. Stanley to explain to me what he meant by Tippoo Tib, and then, having rendered the success of the advance almost impossible, he sets out without the most important stores, his ranks depleted by disease or death, his officers discouraged. And thus, entering upon an enter-

prise madly undertaken, he marches forward to Co-day's

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Hongkong, 28th November, 1892.

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Hongkong, 28th November, 1890.

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STEAMSHIP "SACHSEN,"

THE above named steamer having arrived Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed

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undelivered after the 5th December will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on THURSDAY, the 4th December, LOU TSQ SHUN, Elq. into this mystery by reading the passage which at 4 P.M.

All Claims must reach us before the 5th December, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co.,

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ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 24th November, 1890.

Intimations.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1889.

CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the undersigned with a LIST of their CONTRIBUTIONS for the year ending 31 st December last, in order that the distribution of the Profits reserved for Contri-157 | butors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 30th day of November next, will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims or alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. Hongkong, 15th October, 1800.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1889.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

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By order of the Directors,

Always on Hand,

Monadious 34th June 1881,

JAS, B. COUGHTRIF, Secretary. Hongkong, 1st November, 1890.

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Intimations.

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will be CLOSED from the 29th November until the 6th December, both days inclusive. GIBE, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 20th November, 1890.

CANTON DISTRICT.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS No. 37

THE Authorities having notified their intention of replacing the piles washed away at Cambridge Reach barrier (just below Whampoa) Masters of vessels are requested to slow down when approaching this spot, and to proceed at a reduced rate of speed until well past it.

H MAY, Harbour Master,

Approved F. E. WOODRUFF, Commissioner,

> Custom House, Canton, 24th November, 1890,

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LAI HING & Co. No. 153. Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, 22nd March, 1800.

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Hongkong, 2nd October, 1890. NTOS. 25 & 27, ELGIN STREET, behind

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No. 7, Connaught House.

Commercial.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS. Hongkong and Shanghal Bank, 237 per cent. -memlum, buyers. Hongkong and Shanghal Bank, New Issue-\$250 per share, sellers. Union Insurance Society of Canton-193 per share, buyers. China Traders' Insurance Company-\$63 per there, buyers. North China Insurance—Tis, 340 per share,

Canton lusurance Company, Limited-\$118 per Yangtszer Insurance Association-Tis. 70 per November 28, Verona, British steamer, for On Tal Insurance Company, Limited-Tie 150 November 28, Namon. British steamer, for

How kour Fire Insurance Company - £325 per November 28, Pakshan, British steamer, fo share, buyers. Ching Fire Insurance Company-\$88 per thare, November 28, Achilles, British steamer,

Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company-\$75 | November 28, Yuansang, British, steamer, for per cent. premium, buyers. -\$371 per share, buyers.

ner share, buyers. Hongkong Gas Company-\$135 per share, sellers. Hongkein Helr Company-\$165 per share

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PORPOISE, British steel torpedo cruiser, 1,770 tons, 3,500 horse-power, 6 guns, Commander R. W. White, R.N., 27th Nov., -- Singapore 18th November.

KUTZANO, British str., 1,495, W. O. M. Young, 27th Nov., - Calcutta 8th Nov., Pensig 15th, and Singapore 19th, General.-jardine, Mntheson & Co. COSMOPOLIT. German str., 551, T. Schall, 27th.

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28th Nov. Bombay 8th Nov. and Singapore 21st, Mails and General .-- P. & O. S. N. Co. ARDGAY, British steamer, 1,100, R. Cass, 28th "Nov., -Saigon 22nd November, Rice .- Jar-

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MARIE, Germansteamer, 704, C. A. Hundewadt, 28th Nov.,-Halphong 74th Nov., and Holhow 27th, General. - A. R. Marty. BISAGNO, British steamer, 1,499, G. Orengo,

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The British steamship Ardgay reports that she left Saigon on the 22nd instant. Had strong north-east gale to Cape Padaran; thence to port had moderate wind and fine weather: The Chinese steamship Smith reports that

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pore on the 22nd instant. Experienced severe gales in the China Sea to 12 o north, had strong north-west and north-east winds with rough north-east ses; from there to Hongkong had ine weather and moderate sea.

The British steamship Folies reports that she left Tamsul on the 25th instant. Experienced moderate north-north-east winds and fine weather to Amoy. Left Amoy on the 26th. Experienced light variable winds; and calms to Swatow. Left Swatow on the 27th, experienced light east-south-east winds and fine weather to Chelang Point; thence had light north-northwest winds, fine and cloudy weather to port.

The British steamship Kuisang reports that she left Calcutta on the 8th Instant at 6 a.m.; cleared the Hooghly at II p.m. on the 9th arrived in Penang at 10 p.m. on the 14th; left again on the 15th at 6.30 p.m.; arrived in Singapore on the 17th at 11 a.m. Left on the 19th for Hongkong; arrived here on the 27th at 5 p.m. From the Sandhead to Penang experienced moderate winds from north-east to south-east with fine weather and smooth sea. Through the Straits had north-west winds with overcast, cloudy and showery weather. From Singapore to Hongkong experienced strong northerly gales and high sea to the roth parallel; thence to port had fresh north-east monsoon and fine weather.

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General-Chong Wo. GENERAL WERDER, German steamer, 1,918, M Eichel, 21st Nov .. -- Yokohama 12th Nov. Mails and General. - Melchers & Co. 1 in

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Nov.,-Singapore 19th Nov., General .-LORD BANGOR, British steamer, 1,911, H. Magill, 3rd Nov.,-Karatsu 28th October, Coals.-

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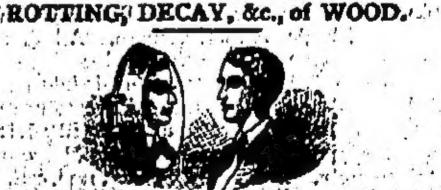
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